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FOREIGN STATISTICAL REPORTS.

BAHAMAS—*Dunmore Town*.—Two weeks ended October 24, 1898. Estimated population, 1,472. No deaths and no contagious diseases.

Governors Harbor.—Week ended October 22. Estimated population, 1,500. No deaths and no contagious diseases reported.

Green Turtle Cay.—Four weeks ended October 26. Estimated population, 3,900. No deaths and no contagious diseases.

Nassau.—Two weeks ended October 29. Estimated population, 11,000. Number of deaths not reported. No contagious diseases.

CANADA—*Hamilton*.—Month of October, 1898. Estimated population, 51,000. Total number of deaths, 38, including diphtheria, 11; enteric fever, 2, and 1 from scarlet fever.

DEMERARA.—Five weeks ended October 1, 1898. Estimated population, 82,250. Total number of deaths, 284. No contagious diseases.

GREAT BRITAIN—*England and Wales*.—The deaths registered in 33 great towns in England and Wales during the week ended October 22 correspond to an annual rate of 18.8 a thousand of the aggregate population, which is estimated at 11,218,378. The highest rate was recorded in Salford, viz, 30.2, and the lowest in Cardiff, viz, 11.4.

London.—One thousand four hundred and ninety-seven deaths were registered during the week, including measles, 12; scarlet fever, 14; diphtheria, 30; whooping cough, 10; enteric fever, 28, and diarrhea and dysentery, 48. The deaths from all causes correspond to an annual rate of 17.3 a thousand. In greater London 1,966 deaths were registered, corresponding to an annual rate of 16.0 a thousand of the population. In the "outer ring" the deaths included 9 from diphtheria, 2 from measles, scarlet fever 3, and 4 from whooping cough.

Ireland.—The average annual death rate represented by the deaths registered during the week ended October 22 in the 23 principal town districts of Ireland was 23.2 a thousand of the population. The lowest rate was recorded in Carrickfergus and Tralee, viz, 0.0, and the highest in Clonmel, viz, 43.8 a thousand. In Dublin and suburbs 174 deaths were registered, including enteric fever, 4; scarlet fever, 1, and whooping cough, 7.

Scotland.—The deaths registered in 8 principal towns during the week ended October 22 correspond to an annual rate of 19.0 a thousand of the population, which is estimated at 1,568,536. The lowest mortality was recorded in Leith, viz, 13.0, and the highest in Greenock, viz, 23.8 a thousand. The aggregate number of deaths registered from all causes was 572, including diphtheria, 6; measles, 8; scarlet fever, 6, and whooping cough, 19.

JAMAICA.—Three weeks ended October 24, 1898. Estimated population, 694,865. Total number of deaths not reported. No deaths from contagious diseases.

Kingston.—Two weeks ended October 22. Estimated population,

34,314. Total number of deaths not reported. No deaths from contagious diseases.

MANITOBA—*Winnipeg*.—Month of October, 1898. Estimated population, 45,000. Total number of deaths not reported. One death from diphtheria and 4 from enteric fever.

ST. HELENA.—Four weeks ended September 24, 1898. Estimated population, 4,000. Total number of deaths, 8. No contagious diseases.

NOVA SCOTIA—*Windsor*.—Month of October, 1898. Estimated population, 3,000. Total number of deaths, 6.